RAIL AND LAKE LINES DIVORCED

Commerce Commission Orders Roads to Drop Great Lakes Boat Traffic.

SWEEPING RULING MADE

Regarded as Forecasting Result of Appeal Made by New Haven Railroad.

The decision of the Interstate Com-merce Commission yesterday ordering railroads to completely separate them-selves from their boat lines on the Great lakes by December 1 is regarded as one of the most sweeping and conclusive ever

made by the commission.

The commission broadly decides that
"Congress has decreed that there shall
be a restoration of conditions which prevalled when railroads had no interest in and exercised no control over the lines plying upon the country's water routes," in addition to preserving "free and unfettered the 'water roadbed' via

The Panama Canal act provides that it shall be unlawful for a rallroad com-pany to own, control, or have any interest in any way in common carriers by water with which the railroad may compete without such ownership or control is approved by the Interstate Commerce

Holds Roads Have Monopoly.

The commission holds that the rail-oads through the Lake Line Association roads through the Lake Line Association and otherwise exercise a complete monopoly over the lake line situation, and that competition is, therefore, stifled. Greater usefulness of the Eric Canal will follow as the result of the divorcement of the railroads from their lake lines, is a conclusion of the commission, as it will reopen a through route by water from lake ports to the Eastern

seaboard.
The decision is regarded as forecasting the decision of the commission the application of the New Haven Rail-road to retain its sound lines. These are the railroads and the boat lines from which they must separate:
Pennsylvania Railroad Company and
Northern Central Railway Company

from the Eric and Western Transportation Company, the Anchor Line. Lehigh Valley Railroad Company from the Lehigh Valley Transportation Comyany; lake line only. New York Central Involved.

New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company from the Mutual Transit Company, the Western Transit Company, and the Rutland Transit Com-Rutland Railroad Company from the

Rutland Transit Company.

Erie Railroad Company from the Erie
Railroad Lake Line, and the Mutual Transit Company.

Grank Trunk Railway Company from

the Canada Atlantic Transit Company. Lehigh Valley Railroad Company from the Mutual Transit Company. Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company from the Mutual Tran-

PACIFICATORS TO GIVE ALLEGORICAL TABLEAUX

Woman's Peace Party Arranges for Open-air Program on Evening of Memorial Day.

A big public peace demonstration is being arranged for the evening of Memorial Day by Mrs. Christian Don Hemmick, president of the Washington branch of the Woman's Peace party, who ecently presented "The Opium Pipe" as

propaganda against the drug evil.
At the base of the Washington Monument the ten allegorical tableaux arranged by Mrs. Hemmick and Miss Hazel Mackaye, and participated in by promi-Mackage, and participated in by promi-nent society folk, are to be presented free to the Washington public. The se-ries of tableaux, which have been col-lected under the title, "The Awakening," represent the course of events from the pirth of war to the consummation of

They are designated as follows: "Sowing the Seed," "The Cause of War,"
"The Call to Arms," "Youth's Illusion of War," "Reality," "Reaping the Harvest,"
"Woman's Demands," "Justice," "Attainments" and "Peace." The performance will be taken by the "movie" camera and shown throughout the coun-

PLAN TO HOLD AN OUTING.

Mount Pleasant Citisens Elect Di

C. V. Campbell President. Plans for an outing were completed by the Mount Pleasant Citizens' As-Betty Inn. Sixteenth street and Park

oad, last night.

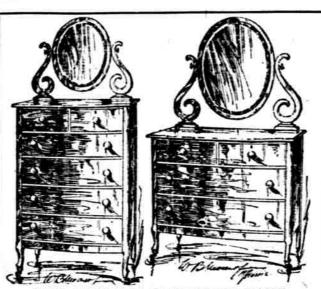
The affair, which is to be held in the parking around the reservoir on Six-teenth street on June 12, will open at 16 o'clock in the morning with a series athletic contests. As 11 o'clock a base ball game will be played, followed by a picnic lunch. In the afternoon, Com-Kutz will address the eitizens of the

section.

The special committee appointed to investigate the matter of a teachers' re-tirement pension for the District, reported that this city is far behind others of the population in providing for its The committee recommended that other associations be urged to take up the question. up the question.

Dr. C. V. Campbell was elected presi-

dent for the ensuing year; A. B. Kelly, vice president; James M. Proctor, secretary, and M. J. Salvey, treasurer. The made from straw by an inventive association adjourned until September. Frenchman.



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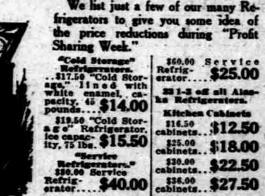
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ST. JOHNS IS READY FOR MOONLIGHT TRIPS

teamer Overhauled, Painted, and Fitted Up for Excursions Down the Potomac River.

large and palatial steamer St. Johns, Washington's fastest excursion steamer on the Potomac River, arrived this week and took its wharf alongside street, awaiting the opening of the ex-cursion season. The big boat has been entirely overhauled, having a new set of boilers installed. Every part of the vessel has been repainted and the cafe and salon parlor has been redecorated. The cellent conditions and will be most com-The spacious dance decks have been given special attention.

The St. John will make its first moonlight trip forty miles down the Potomac as soon as the weather permits, leaving the Seventh street wharf every evening at 7 o'clock, except on Saturdays and Sundays. The usual week-end sailings are scheduled for Colonial Beach, where excursionists will find many amusements, hotels, and other places of com(122 Status at ma)
fort and enjoyment. The same popular Sq 95; he le to the beach.

Artificial wood for matches is being

SHIP MAY HAVE BEEN HELD UP. Nothing Henrd Regarding Jupiter

Being Halted by British Warship. Authorities at the Navy Department yesterday refused to comment on reports from New York that the naval collier Jupiter was held up by a British patrol-

ing cruiser in the Atlantic. curred it has not yet been made the sub-ject of discussion with the British Em-bassy, through which, it is thought, arrangements would naturally be made for gret at the mistake of a naval com-

It is pointed out that had the incident occurred-as is considered quite possibleit would not be a particularly serious matter, in all probability. The naval colcellent conditions and will be most com-fortable for the run to the beach and is thought more than likely that a British patrol may have taken the Jupiter for a

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geron, treasurer. Francis Griffin entertained at the Hano throughout the evening. Among the others present were N. Knudson, F. V. Bockey, J. Brown, James A. Vitale, C. C. Will-lams, F. L. Finley, B. H. Camaller, A. B. Graesle, Chester R. Smith, C. W. opposes the introduction of this new Hallam, C. F. Calmes, H. R. McCleary, Charles D. Broe, John F. Donohue, Lee

R. D. Wining and G. L. Brause.

Stamp 11 covenants (replement Pl bet 331 & 331 at s nw) 39 The executive committee of the chamber 1 38 bit 3 Whitner Close GOTTWALS, ber held a meeting to hear the report Edith H to Bertha F Majbury \$10 stamp \$1.50 of the special committee in the matter

Newcastle, New South Wales, brought a to any mistakes he had made, but to any mistakes he had made, Description of the Royal of the Share and Sheet of the Royal of the Share of the Royal of the Sh record. Mr. Harris presented the secre-

iles-because of the hospitality extend ed to the rider along the way, his ex penses were less than 40 cents, while the trip from Adelaide to Newcastle— 1,100 miles—the only expense incurred was for horse food, 26 cents. For a six in to work with vim and vigor. journey, this seems a rather

Two of the guests of the retail mer-chants on their spring gambol—Howard Acton and Thomas Grant—are the re-cipients of a handsome American for the country of the spring of the country of the spring of the country of the guests of the retail mer-cipients of a handsome American for the country of the cou B. Alsobrook, grand master of the fraternity, and the following honor guests, all of whom are members of the factuity: Dr. S. W. Bowles, Dr. D. S. Taylor, Dr. C. H. Hopkins, Dr. Ryan Devereux and Dr. H. D. Adams.

The officer of the shoulder, "just read an account of your speech at the Board of Trade. I tell you, you hit some hammer blows."

My friend smiled. Perhaps he didn't need any encouragement or an expression of good will. Who knows? amusement derived by seeing these was feeling badly, what I said did him guests swimming for half an hour in the good. If he wasn't, it did him no harm.

Mr. Blank was president of the largest

The jitney bus discussion in the chamber meeting brought an unusual burst of eloquence from Joseph D. Sullivan, who opposes the introduction of this new method of transportation, unless bonds are given by heir promisers. method of transportation, unless bonds are given by their proprietors. Mr. Sullivan has agreed to settle the debate by the results of a tennis match with the secretary. The executive committee of the G A.

together for Tuesday noon in the chamber. Chairman Gude has several matters to lay before the members, including the question of grand stands, the latter on the report of Chairman Fred D. Owens, A committee from the ladies of the G. A. R. also desire to be heard. A. L. Sinclair has accepted the chair-

manship of the committee on accommo-dations, vice Albert Schultets, whose health will not allow him to continue

circumstances over which he had no con-trol. The postman dropped a letter on friends is far better off than a man with

"Say, my boy, I wish people would

some 2,400 miles, and it is noted that on to you what he said, as it won't do you

The effect upon my friend was electri cal. His blueness turned to pink and hi The other day I met a friend on the

cool waters of the Potomac, caused the bank in his city. He was worth a million, perhaps many millions. Big men House Committeeman J. F. Slaven has little men. The sea of life does not run returned from a four days' golfing tour-nament in Baltimore. He has a fine coat of sunburn, but no medals.

He has a fine coat into the elevator in his building. The elevator boy greeted him with a hearty because he was always cheerful and always had a pleasant word to say to anybody and everybody.

The executive committee of the G. A. bills were large. Naturally he felt dis-R. citizens' committee has been called couraged, and he soked it. The head of the firm passed through the shipping "How are you, Bill?" he exclaimed, "Is the world using you all right?"

The porter smiled. Part of the load told the president about his trouble. The president knew that Bill was a faithful "Rill." he said, taking his hand, "it"

pretty tough. I was thinking about giv-ing you \$100 for a Christmas present. Christmas is several months away, so I'll anticipate a little. See the cashler plenty of money. Don't forget the little things, the kind

word, the cheerful greeting, a display of honest and sincere sympathy. You will need them some time, if you don't to-

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STUDENTS OF DENTISTRY HOLD YEARLY BANQUET

Psi Omega Fraternity Dines at Powhatan, with Georgetown Faculty as Their Guests.

Psi Omega Dental Fraternity of the Georgetown University held its annual The officers of the organization, in addition to the grand master, are L G. Kohlmeier, junor grand master; O. H. Wendt, secretary, and M. P. Ber-

Robinson, A. E. Anthony, O. A. Groves,

Chamer of Commerce Notes.

of the visit of the commercial visitors of China, who will be in the city May Sq 201 it 85 & 82 bik 3 South Brookland-HORN.

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